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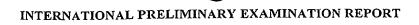


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	The statement that the subsequently furnished written sequence listing does not go beyond the disclosure in the international application as filed has been furnished.
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4.	The amendments have resulted in the cancellation of:
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	Claims	·	NO
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	Claims		NO
Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims	1-13	YI
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VI. Certain documents cited

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2. Non-written disclosures (Rule 70.9)

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